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PATÉNT Attorney Docket No. DKT 00040

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of: **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING** George L. Markley I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Mark MacDonald Wigsten Postal Service, postage prepaid, first class Serial No. 09/907,021 mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on Filed: July 17, 2001 For: ALTERNATING GUIDE POWER TRANSMISSION CHAIN Examiner: Not yet assigned Group Art Unit: 3682

# TRANSMITTAL OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AFTER APPLICATION FILING DATE

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

### **ENCLOSURES**

Enclosed are the following:

- \* A completed PTO form 1449 (modified) which has one (1) page.
- \* A copy of each printed or patented reference listed in the enclosed form 1449 and not previously provided to or by the PTO in this application. One (1) reference is enclosed.

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#### **FEE DETERMINATION**

- No fee is believed to be due because:
  - This statement and enclosures are being filed three months or less after the application was filed.
  - The applicant(s) believe(s) that this statement and enclosures are being filed before the first Office action on the merits has been mailed by the PTO. The basis of this belief is that no Office action on the merits appears to have been received by the undersigned to date.

#### **FEE PAYMENT**

The following arrangements have been made to pay the fees calculated above:

No fee is believed to be due.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which are presently required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 13-0017.

REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION

This paper and enclosures are believed to be entitled to consideration under 37 C. R. § 1.97, heard on the facts stand above. The Engagement is required to initial both consideration.

based on the facts stated above. The Examiner is requested to initial both copies of the enclosed PTO-1449 (modified) and return one copy to the applicants to indicate consideration of the enclosed references.

Dated: September 27, 2001

Reg. No. 33,707

Attorney for applicants

Respectfully submitted,

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